## **MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN**

The State of Montana, Department of Health and Human Services, Montana Veteran's Home

("Employer")

AND

## MONTANA NURSES ASSOCIATION (MNA)

Local #27 ("Association")

This Memorandum of Agreement is entered into, by and between the Montana Veteran's Home and the Montana Nurses Association, Local Unit #27 (collectively the "Parties). The Parties agree to the following clarification:

## **ARTICLE 9 - HOURS OF WORK AND COMPENSATION**

9.8 Overtime. It is hereby agreed and understood that members of this bargaining unit are professionals in their field of nursing, and as such, are exempt employees under the Fair Labor Standards Act.

Overtime shall be paid for all time that is authorized for work in excess of the employees regularly scheduled shift or over eighty (80) hours per two (2) week pay period.

For nurses working as MDS Coordinators who work a standard Monday-Friday work schedule, overtime shall be paid for all time that is authorized for work over forty (40) hours per week.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereby affix their signatures as of this 26 day of 0 ctobur 2018

FOR THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Michael P. Manion, Chief State Office of Labor Relations

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Joren Underdahl, Administrator Montana Veterans Home //

Sheila Hogan, Director

Department of Public Health and

**Human Services** 

FOR THE MONTANA NURSES ASSOCIATION:

Robin Haux (Act 23, 2018)

Robin Haux, Labor Program Director Montana Nurses Association

Leslie Sherherd (Oct 22, 2018)

Leslie Shepherd, Labor Representative Montana Nurses Association

Ruth Truran-Oskey (Oct 19, 2018)

Ruth Oskey, President

**Montana Nurses Association Local 27**